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CONFIDENTIALb. General DD/S Comments

As part of a general program to lower the profile of the American Military presence in Thailand, [REDACTED] 25X1A observed that the U.S. Army Hospital in Bangkok, Thailand, will cease to function as such, although the facility will continue to operate as a clinic sponsored by the American Embassy.

The content of the "Trends and Highlights" Course of the Management and Services Directorate will undergo review to see if the need for the course still exists. There is a general feeling that the course has gradually come to place too much emphasis on basic responsibilities, shortchanging needed emphasis on current procedures because of its use as a vehicle for Career Trainee instruction.

c. Monthly Statistical Report/OS

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Mr. [REDACTED] indicated that the new format for an Office of Security monthly statistical report will place less emphasis on statistics and more on the trends and highlights of what is happening. The Plans, Programs Branch will assemble the report for the Office of Security based on the information furnished by its Directorates. A trial report will be prepared in January 1974 covering December 1973 activities. The first formal report will cover activities for January 1974.

d. OS Christmas Party

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The Deputy Director for Policy and Management, Mr. [REDACTED], stated that telephone coverage of essential activities will be maintained until 5 p.m. on 14 December and the afternoon courier run will not be made by the Security Records Division in view of the Office of Security Christmas Party.

e. Energy Crisis and Field Operations

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Mr. [REDACTED] the Deputy Director for Personnel Security and Investigations, indicated that the effect of the

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replace Mr. [REDACTED] on the Security Staff of the Office of Development and Engineering, Science and Technology Directorate.

h. Computer Security

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The Chief of the Information Systems Security Group, Mr. [REDACTED], advised that an after-hours program, utilizing [REDACTED] escorts, had detected a computer terminal located in an unsecured area still in the connect mode after business hours. The intent of this program is to educate personnel responsible for such terminals of the necessity for disconnecting such terminals at the close of business.

i. Retirees

The Chief, Security Support Division, Mr. [REDACTED] 25X1A indicated that about 200 employees intended to retire by 31 December. The External Activities Branch has established procedures to expeditiously handle the final security processing of these retirees.

j. Physical Security

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The escort demands on the [REDACTED] Program are steadily increasing as personnel reductions effected by the General Services Administration eliminate personnel previously provided for escort duty.

The large number of retirees and the special ceremonies scheduled for many of them have kept the VIP parking area filled to capacity. Requests for use have been running to 40 vehicles a day.

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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)

Minutes of OS Weekly Staff Meeting

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| 25X1A [REDACTED] PPB <i>Edu</i> | | 5311 | | DATE 14 December 1973 | |
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| 2. DD/P&M | 14 DEC 1973 | | <i>[Signature]</i> | | |
| 3. D/Security | 14 DEC 1973 | | [REDACTED] | | |
| 4. DD/Security | 17 DEC 1973 | | <i>[Signature]</i> | | |
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